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Call made by Mr Slidell the Commiss. on the several officers.

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June 28th 1859

This evening the Commissioner made the following calls upon the following parties which are expected to be answered by written & sworn statements upon Tuesday Evening the 2d of July 1859.

I Upon the Superintendent

A statement in tabular form respecting warrants as to bullion gold & silver, issued since 1st August 1858 to 1st July 1859. As follows. = No of warrant = Date = when delivered = In whose favour = to whom addressed = for what =

II Upon the Treasurer

1st A statement showing what Mint Certificates are outstanding on the close of June 30th 1859 according to the following formula.

2d = No. of Cert. = Date = in whose favour = for what amount = when issued =

2d = The amount of receipts for Bullion outstanding on said day 30th June.

3d The amount of bullion on hand in the Treasurer's Office at the close of 30th June 1859.

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Specifying how much Gold & how much silver in standard weight

4. = The amount of bullion outstanding on 30th June 1839, in Melter & Refiner's Office under transfer from Treasurer's Office, according to standard weight.

The like Account as to Coiner.

5. = A monthly statement in gross according to standard weight of gold & silver Bullion respectively transferred to coiner during each month from 1st February 1839 to 1st July 1839.

6. = A statement of moneys in Bank standing at close of 30th June 1839 to credit of Treasurer & also of Cash fund if any else — when & where.

7. = A statement of the total expenses of the Mint from 1st January 1839 to 1st July 1839.

III Upon the Melter & Refiner.

1st The amount of Bullion in his legal possession at close of said day according to standard weight, Clippings &c inclusive — how much Gold & how much Silver.

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IIII Upon the Coiner,
The amount of Gold & Silver Coins delivered by him to the Treasurer during each month from 1st January 1859 to 1st July 1859; the amount of Gold & Silver coins & bullion in his possession at close of said date Clippings &c. inclusive.

Standard weight is to be stated in all the above accounts.

It is expected that the said accounts will be prepared by said Officers respectively from the data & books in their own departments & if this requisition be not observed a satisfactory explanation will be expected.

As above remarked the statements are expected under oath in which the Officer besides verifying accounts will state if he has prepared them from his own books & data & without comparison with or assistance from other Officers.

I certify the foregoing to be a true copy

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of the oath made by the Commissioner
Thos Slidell Esq. on the officers of the
Branch Mint, on the 28th of June 1839

In testimony whereof I have
hereunto signed my name & affixed
the impress of my Seal of office at
New Orleans August 8th 1839.

Horatio Davis
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